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TO :

DATE: 12 Nov. '51

FROM :

SUBJECT: 1. Alaskan Burial Program

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ORIGINAL *E&D* Thermite/Thermate Testing

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EXTENDING BYRSBY *101D*

1. I spoke with [redacted] and asked him if they had any gun steel in stock for making repairs & custom items. They do not, but they do have a large number of old spare parts which we could use. We would get them by first going thru [redacted] who in turn goes to Al's boss. *WTT* Al says we can purchase the steel in bar stock from a number of suppliers in town. He said that

the carbon content of the steel used in the old Colts is fairly low. It is given some sort of an acid pickling process.

2. They do not have enough tin cans at Fronconia for our use in the forthcoming thermite & thermate tests at

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